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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Miyazaki, et al.
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For: METALLIC CORD AND PNEUMATIC TIRE
EMPLOYING THE METALLIC CORD

L E T T E R

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

January 22, 2001

Sir:

Under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 119 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.55(a), the applicant(s) hereby claim(s) the right of priority based on the following application(s):


<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Filed</u>
JAPAN	11-302462	October 25, 1999
JAPAN	11-312142	November 2, 1999

A certified copy of the above-noted application(s) is(are) attached hereto.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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